WILDLIFE TECHNICIAN I

Salary: \$10.47 to 16.58 per hour, depending on education and experience.

Opening date: April 14, 2008 Closing date: Until filled

Position: One 6-9 month position without benefits located in Cedar City, UT, from

approximately May 1 to Sept 30, with flexibility in start and end dates.

Duties: Technician will conduct assignments in the UDWR Southern Region. Job duties include but are not limited to: fisheries and habitat surveys on lakes and streams (gill netting, electrofishing, seining); angler surveys on Panguitch Lake; water quality sampling and sampling for Aquatic Invasive Species; maintenance of fences, water-control structures, sampling equipment, and vehicles.

Qualifications: Applicants must be willing to work a flexible schedule, typically a 40-hour workweek. Must be able to work overnight, some weekends, and under adverse weather conditions in varied environments. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, be self-motivated and independent, and should have experience with ATVs, 4-wheel drive vehicles, powerboats, and power tools. Hiking and boating experience preferred. Preference will be given to applicants with a degree or currently working towards completion of a degree in biological sciences, fisheries and wildlife or closely related fields. Training to complete certification as a Non-Commercial Pesticide Applicator may be required. Position will require extensive travel; a valid drivers license is required.

Other: Housing is not provided. Government vehicle provided for work duties.

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